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Serial Number: 09/733,873

Examiner: Van Doren, B.

Filed: 12/08/00

Art Unit: 3623

Confirmation No.: 3134

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR MOBILE PICKUP STATIONS

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NOTICE OF RELATED PATENT APPLICATIONS

Dear Sir:

Applicant has filed one or more additional applications for the technology set forth in the application captioned above as listed below (including the present application):

United States Patent Application Serial Number 09/733,873 filed
12/08/2000 for Method and Apparatus for Mobile Pickup
Stations, Attorney's Docket No. 03-12861;

United States Patent Application Serial Number 10/348,853 filed
1/22/2003 for Method and Apparatus for Facilitating a Search for
a Pick Up Location, Attorney's Docket No. 03-12862;

United States Patent Application Serial Number 10/055,144 filed
1/22/2002 for Locker Mobile Pickup Station, Attorney's Docket
No. 03-12863;

United States Patent Application Serial Number 10/681,685 filed
10/08/2003 for Catering Mobile Pickup Station, Attorney's
Docket No. 03-12864; and

United States Patent Application Serial Number 10/798,965 filed
3/10/2004 for Method and Apparatus for Mobile Pickup Stations,
Attorney's Docket No. 04-13135.

Rejections made during examination of the indicated additional applications may have bearing to the present one. Under MPEP § 2001.06(b) (3d rev. 8th ed. 2005), these applications are hereby brought to the attention of the Examiner. The Office actions from the 10/055,144 application are enclosed. No other Office actions have issued save any in the present application.

If the Examiner believes that a telephone or other conference would be of value in expediting the prosecution of the present application, enabling an Examiner's amendment or other meaningful discussion of the case, Applicant invites the Examiner to contact Applicant's representative at the number listed below.

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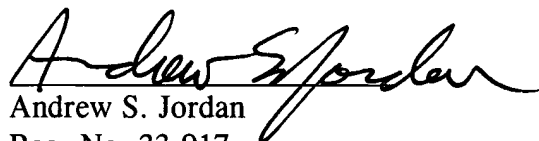
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It is believed that the application is in a condition for allowance; and Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to pass the application on to allowance. It is not believed that any additional fees are due; however, in the event any additional fees are due, the Examiner is authorized to charge Applicant's Attorney's Deposit Account No. 03-2030.

Respectfully submitted,

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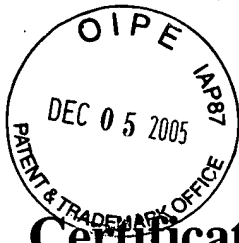
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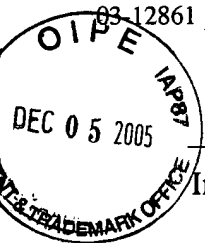
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Dear Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56, 1.97, and 1.98, disclosure is made of the following known related art listed in the accompanying Information Disclosure Citation, Form PTO-1449. According to the announcement made via the USPTO web site entitled "Information Disclosure Statements May Be Filed Without Copies of U.S. Patents and Published Applications in Patent Applications filed after June 30, 2003" (1276 OG 55 of 5 August 2003), no copies of the U.S. patent references are enclosed.

Any marks made upon any submitted copies of such listed art should not be interpreted as emphasizing or indicating as relevant portions of such marked related art. Often, such marks are made on the original documents by unknown third parties and so are not applicable to the present invention.

Applicant hereby cites the patents and/or publications on the attached form for consideration by the Patent and Trademark Office in regard to the claimed invention. By this notice, Applicant requests that the Patent and Trademark Office make of record the documents listed. No representation is made that more pertinent material is not available or should not be considered by the Examiner. It is expected that the Patent and Trademark Office will independently conduct a complete search of appropriate prior art. Furthermore, no admission is being made that these documents are prior art, and Applicant reserves the right to challenge any such conclusion.

Should there be any remaining or further questions, the Examiner is requested to please contact the undersigned directly. It is not believed that any additional fees are due. However,

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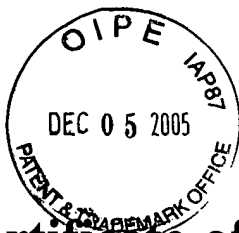
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